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Docket No. GC372

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In re Application of
Timothy Fowler et al.

Serial No. Unknown

Filed: June 23, 1997

For: Improved *Enterobacteriaceae*
Fermentation Strains

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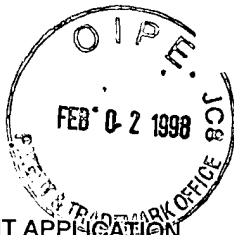
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- ☒ 8 Sheets of Informal Drawings; Figs. 1-3
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